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Sir,

Please further amend the amended claims as readable on my  
amendment proposal dated DEC, 10, 97, as follows:

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Claim 1, pls change "determining the presence...., authenticating  
said identity software" in lines 10-12 with "authenticating an  
identity software which being present on said computer"

Claim 1, pls insert "or with such protection but being  
authorised to be used by a ~~pred~~ predetermined password or non-  
machine generated password entered by ~~the~~ user"

Claim 12, last paragraph, pls change "said protection" in  
line 1 to "use", and insert "protected" before "identity"  
in line 2 and change "disabled" in line 2 to "authorised".

Claim 12, last paragraph, pls delete "in authorising use  
of said protected software" in line 3, and append "to provide  
an authentication result for use in the authorisation of use of  
said ~~protected software~~ protected software."

Claim 1, pls delete "said determination or" in 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph,  
line 2.

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Claim 17, pls change the inserted phrase in P.4 line 3 as  
"user commands including no non-predetermined machine generated  
password" and delete "a password or non-machine generated  
code" in P.4 lines 3-4.

This amendment touches no merit of the claims and entry  
of it is respectfully requested.

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